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For: "Porcine Spinal Cord Cells and Their  
Use in Spinal Cord Repair"

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the claims:

Please amend claim 36 as follows:

36. (Amended) The method of claim 18, wherein the spinal cord damage is spinal cord injury.